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Dear Mom and Dad,

I enjoyed talking to you and Diane the other night. Fortunately the weather moderated a little Saturday night and I was able to make my 18 mile run into the office on Sunday morning. I am out the door by 5 AM. It is dark but there is sufficient light reflected from the clouds that it is not a problem keeping to the path. A persistant drizzle kept me cool.

We have been going out to dinner every Thursday night. Last week we went to RT's which is in Arlandria just below where Mary used to live. It is a run-down neighborhood but the restaurant was very nice and featured several seafood selections which we enjoyed.

As I mentioned on the phone, I am pretty busy with classes, work, and giving Vickie some help on her database work. But I am having fun. I have enclosed some material on Prolog and an outline of one of my classes for dad. I realize one can't learn Prolog from this, but it may be interesting to see that the language can handle "cryptarithmic" problems. I'm off to class so goodbye for now.

Love,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Jim".